

NOTICE.

Forward Freight on the Opening of Skeena river

J. W. Moore.

WELCH, RITHEIT & CO.
Offer For Sale

EX DELAWARE FROM HONOLULU
SUGAR—Various Grades,

MOLASSES—Various Cans
PULU—In Bales
RICE—In Sacks

WHARF STREET.
C. FRANCIS BARNARD, M.D.
SURGEON DENTIST.

DR. BARNARD HAS had for several months the "Perkins Mystr" or "Columbia Bone," the newest and latest material adapted to the mounting of whole sets of teeth. It is also known as "Whalebone Rubber," which is highly recommended for single dentures or partial sets, the best material on the market to date.

vinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, added by an extensive knowledge of upwards of thirty years, render his services most valuable and reliable than those of any other dentist in the South, Coast or Island. For details see daily *Observer*.

Office and Residence—Douglas Street, between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Ten Ware, *Shanghai* floors from 8 a. m. till 5 p. m.



Esquimalt Graving Dock.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITAIN
Columbia are prepared to receive tenders for the construction of a Graving Dock, at the Naval Station Esquimalt Harbor, under the guarantee provided in the Twelfth Section of the Terms of Union of this Province.

with the Dominion of Canada, with section 14 in the following words:—

"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work, at the rate of five per cent. per annum, on the sum, not exceeding £100,000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class training ship at Esquimaux."

The Dock to be of masonry and of such dimensions as to be capable of receiving the largest ship of the Royal Navy.

following dimensions:—
Length on floor 370 feet,
Do. over all 460 feet,
Width between copings 90 feet,
Do. on floor..... 65 feet,
Do. of entrance..... 63 feet,
to afford a depth of water on the sill of not less than 3 feet at high water springs, and to be substantially

Further particulars as to site, borings, &c., may be obtained from T. A. SCREELY, Esq., Chief Engineer of Government, upon application in writing to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Tenders are to be sealed, superintended "Tender to Equinault Graving Dock," addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and delivered at his office before noon of the 15th day of November, 1872.

Each tender must be accompanied by a Bond for a sum of \$10,000 to Her Majesty, her heirs and successors, conditioned upon the due fulfillment of the tender, which bond, in accordance herewith it be accepted within the time specified.

months from the said 15th November.
By Command. **GEO. A. WALKER**
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works
Lands and Works Office,
Victoria, April 27th, 1872. *ap:law*

SPRING - 1872 SPRING
OMINECA MINES
MINERS NOW PREPARING TO PRO

Promis & Saunders

JOHNSON STREET.
Where they can obtain a selection of
Groceries, Provision

TOOLS

to their extensive Stock of the above articles
which they are prepared to sell at the small-
est advance on cost and charges.

Remember the address
Johnson Street corner of Oriental Alley
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Ex Steamer Prince Alfred
R. MAYNARD,
Post and Steam Agent

BOOT and SHOE REPAIR
 OCCIDENTAL BUILDINGS,
 FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B.C.
 Has received per above vessel
ALL KINDS OF LEATHER

CALIFORNIA, ROADS, ALL CITIES, AND
variety, and as a guarantee of
SHOE FINDINGS
Which he offers to the trade at greatly reduced prices
SEWING MACHINES

JOHN WILSON.

THE GARRICK'S HEAD
Bayton Street.

MAILS

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IMPERIAL
Fire Insurance Company.
100 BROAD STREET & 10 FILL MALL,
LONDON.

INSTITUTED 1808.
FOR INSURING HOUSES AND OTHER
Buildings, Goods, Ware, Merchandise, Manu-
factures and Farming Stock, Ships in Port, Harbor or
Dock, and the Carriage of such vessels; also Ships build-
ing or repairing, Harbors and other vessels on navigable
rivers and Canals, and goods on board such vessels,
throughout Great Britain and Ireland and in Foreign
Countries.

FROM LOSS OR DAMAGE BY FIRE.
Subscribed and Invested Capital
One Million Six Hundred Thousand
Pounds.

Rates of Premium and every information can be ob-
tained on application to
WELCH, RITHET & CO.,
Agents for British Columbia and Washington Territory.

CITY OF GLASGOW
Life Assurance Company.
ESTABLISHED 1808.

INCORPORATED BY SPECIAL ACT OF PARLIAMENT
Subscribed Capital, \$600,000
Sterling.

TWO PARTIES ABOUT EFFECTING AN
Assurance this company offers every advantage.
The insured are empowered to accept approved
policies.
WELCH, RITHET & CO.
Agents for British Columbia.

NORTHERN
ASSURANCE COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICES,
London and Aberdeen.

Capital £2,000,000 ster.

All of which is fully Subscribed,
And in addition;

The Liability of all Shareholders
is Unlimited

Will take Fire Risks in
Victoria upon favorable
terms.

Losses settled promptly
by the Agents without re-
ference to Home Offices.

Rates and particulars may be had upon
application to
Janion, Rhodes & Co.,

Agents for British Columbia.

OMINECA MINES.

A. M. NELSON

BEGETO INFORM MINERS AND Traders
that he has opened Stores at all the principal
points on the Journey from the

Mouth of Skeena to Mansen Creek
where they may rely upon obtaining supplies of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS,

Clothing, Miners' Tools,

HARDWARE

of every description,
Cordage, Furniture, &c.

Goods Forwarded from Victoria to Mansen Creek in
the best manner, at the lowest rates, having no sub-
agents at the Mouth and Forks of the Skeena, and also at

SABINE LAKE

(the only one there) where he will store Goods in trans-
it free of charge. Shippers will find it to their advan-
tage to ship with him.

A. M. Nelson has also a store and trading post at
Alert Bay, on Vancouver Island, where steamers bound
for Skeena River always call.

Notice to Stock Raisers.
THE CELEBRATED STALLION
"The Henry" will stand in Victoria or in
the District; The Season \$10.
Orders to be left at
J. W. WILLIAMS
Livery Stable, Johnson Street

Patronise Home Industries!

VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE
Manufactory.

W. HEATHORN
HAVING ENTERED INTO THE
Wholesale Manufacture of Boots and Shoes, is
NOW PREPARED TO RECEIVE ORDERS
Dealers are invited to call and examine Samples now on
hand.

Cutlery and Retail Trade conducted as heretofore.

Leather, Shoe Findings and Uppers For Sale

"N.B.—An Assortment of Gent's Leather and Ch. &
dren's Boots and Shoes, of English make, for sale at
cost to make room for his own manufacture's." ap 2nd

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL,
GOVERNMENT STREET,
Victoria, V. I.

THIS ESTABLISHMENT IS NOW OPEN
for the reception of Guests, and is re-
commended to the travelling public as a
FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

The rooms have all been refurnished,
and particular attention is paid to cleanliness
and good order.

APARTMENTS will be let by the Day, Week
or Month, at a Great Reduction from former
rates, and Travellers are requested to in-
spect the Hotel before seeking accommodation
elsewhere.

J. FRIED,
Proprietor.

NOTICE.
THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING RE-
turned from San Francisco, begs to inform his
Friends and the public generally, that he has resumed
business at his old stand, and
Guarantees that all Work done or Goods
supplied may be depended upon
as being of an approved quality.
A CHOICE LOT OF NEW GOODS
has just arrived, and will be
sold at a low price.
EDWARD WATSON,
Government Street.

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

Big Ones! Big Ones!
IF YOU WANT TO TASTE SOMETHING
Good, go to

Joe Levy's
and try some of these

BIG NEW YORK OYSTERS.
N.B.—Olympia Oysters always on hand. mh25

Old Song to a New Tune

TELL ME, WH RE IS FANCY BREACAD?
The answer is General, at the

New England Bakery,
GOVERNMENT STREET.

ESTABLISHED 1889.
ON AND AFTER THE 20th INSTANT,
We shall

Increase the Weight of our
LOAVES

Owing to the Duty being Remitted on
FLOUR!

By the Adoption of the
CANADIAN TARIFF!

In the Restaurant department we have also reduced
the Price of Bread per week from 27 to 26.
Refreshments can be had at any hour of the day.
YOUNG & WHITE.
mh25 2m

FOR SALE.
TWO HOMESTEADS

ON ALFRED STREET, 4 lots, 20x50 with
3 room House hard finished; out houses, well,
water and garden, all well fenced and under cultiva-
tion.
On Humboldt street, part of lot No. 212, 40 feet on
Humboldt at rear, to high water mark, good dwelling
house and out house.
For particulars apply to
HESSAY G. COUDREY,
Solicitor, Bastion street.

Market Exchange,
FORT STREET.

THE above premises are now open by
G. R. HUDSON, Proprietor.

With an entire new Stock of Wines, Liquors,
Ales, Porter, Cigars, &c.
"No better than any body's else."
N. B.—No Brass Band or Bells Baffles.
mh25

PASSENGER NOTICE.

OMINECA GOLD MINES!

WOODCOCK'S LANDING.
M. WOODCOCK is happy to inform Miners and
Traders that he has completed his arrangements for
forwarding Passengers and Freight
From the Mouth of the Skeena to the Forks.
Freight carried at the lowest rates. Passengers (in-
cluding 100 pounds of freight) Five Dollars each.
Mr. Woodcock has also on hand at his store Mouth of
Skeena, a large and varied stock of Groceries, Provisions,
Clothing and Miner's Tools, which he will sell at a small
advance on Victoria prices.

N. B.—Woodcock's Landing will be found to be the
most central and convenient point to start from by per-
sons going to the mines by the Skeena or Nass river
route, as the best boats and crews are to be obtained
there.

DR. MILLS BOWDEN,
MAY BE FOUND OVER H. P. REID,
Terman's Office, Langley Street, from 9:30 A.
M. to 4 P. M.
N. B. Back Entrance on Government street. mh25

SEWING MACHINES!

"The Gresham."

Half Cabinet Lock Stitch.

FOR SALE BY

R. BEAVEN,
GOVERNMENT STREET.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE STEAMER

PRINCE ALFRED
692 TONS.

CAPT. SNOLL.

Carrying Her Majesty's Mails.
Will leave Victoria for San Francisco on the 12th and 27,
For freight or passage apply to
R. BRODRICK & Co., Agents.

Farm For Sale.
ABOUT TWO AND HALF MILES FROM
Nanaimo Harbor, containing 200 acres of Land,
40 acres cleared with a house, barn and 50 head of
cattle on it.
For Particulars apply to
CHAS. McK. SMITH.

For Sale
A FARM OF 100 ACRES situated on the
South Arm of the Fraser River, with Dwelling
House and 14 acres under a good Dyke. Stock can be
had at valuation.
Apply at
STANDARD OFFICE.

Greenwood & Morley.
(LATE SHOTBOLT.)

Manufacturers of
Soda Water, Lemonade,
Ginger Beer, Bitters and
all kinds of Syrups.

N. B.—Orders left at Mr. Shotbolt's drug Store, John
Street, or at the Manufacturing corner of Cook and
Yates streets, will receive prompt attention. mh25

NOTICE.

JACKSON LAWRENCE
With his Superior

Fourteen Mule Team.
WILL NOT HOLD HIMSELF RE-
sponsible for damage on Oils or Liquids ship-
ped in the or Glass, or for unavoidable damage caused
by breakage of bridle, roadblock, or any other equip-
ment beyond his control, unless by special contract
made in writing, reserving such goods at the time of
shipment.

JACKSON LAWRENCE

THEODORE MARSHALL
WILL BEAR OF SOMETHING TO
his advantage by writing to
FRANK CAMPBELL.
Adelphi Corner.
When last heard of he was at the Mouth of Skeena.
R. G. W. CAMPBELL.

Beef Cattle For Sale
80 HEAD OF FINE FAT THREES AND
four year old Steers, at
LEWIS CAMPBELL'S RANCH
ap23 2m

Miscellaneous Advertisements.

GRUNBAUM BROS.
Johnson Street,

Have Just Received from
EUROPE

TURKISH TOBACCO in Paper and Tins,
HEAVY CASSIMERES for Trowsers,
BUTTONS—Coat, Vest and Pearl, assorted,
LEATHER & LININGS—French Calf, Kip
and Santa Cruz,
BARBOUR'S THREAD, NAILS, &c.,
BERLIN WOOL, finest quality and colors,
CROCHET NEEDLES,
CHERRY CIGAR HOLDERS,
PIPES—Meerschaum and Briar Root,
CHERRY STEMS,
TOBACCO POUCHES—Prince of Wales and
Others,
BOOKS—Pocket and Notice,
ALBUMS of all descriptions,
KNIVES—200 doz. Pocket, Pen and Sheath,
BELTS & SHIRTS,
MOCK JEWELRY,
COMBS, a full assortment,
GOOGLES AND SPECTACLES,
LOOKING GLASSES—a full assortment,
HAIR OIL, Pomade and Scents
MONEY BAGS & PURSES,
BRUSHES of all descriptions,
BOOTS & SHOES,
HATS & CAPS—A large assortment,
FLANNEL SHIRTS—30 doz. Blue-Gray.

OMINECA GOLD MINES!

PELL & FINLAYSON.
Grocers & Provision

DEALERS,

BE TO CALL THE ATTENTION OF
Miners and others about to visit the

OMINECA EL DORADO,

that they are prepared to supply them with all neces-
saries for their journey: the price and quality taken
into consideration, second to none in the Province.
Any goods Purchased from them, can be changed at
the pleasure of the purchasers, at their store, at the
Mouth of the Skeena (Woodcock's Landing).
All Letters and Parcels addressed to their care, and
left at their store, will be promptly forwarded to the
mines.

Storage for Goods at the
Mouth of the Skeena.
FORT STREET.

VICTORIA.

Wanted
TWO MEN TO WORK IN A BRICK-
yard.
Apply at the
Beach Road Brickyard, Victoria District.
A. PORTER.

1872

Tatla Landing, Omineca.

STORAGE,

FORWARDING & COMMISSION.

JOHN B. LOVELL.

General Dealer in

Groceries, Provisions &c.

HAS LARGE STORAGE ACCOMMODA-
tion at Tatla, which being situated at an im-
portant junction of routes to the mines, is prepared to re-
ceive consignments for Storage, Forwarding or Com-
mission, and hopes by strict attention to business to
secure the confidence and patronage
extended to him last year.

References
JOHN HARPER,
SMITH & STEWART,
GILSON & GILSON,
BOHANNON,
COHEN & HOFFMAN.

NOTICE.

POOL!

BRITISH COLUMBIA HOTEL,
Fort Street.

Private Entrance to the Billiard Room on
Broad Street.

Reduction in Milk.

HENRY SMITH
SELLS MILK AT 40 CENTS PER GAL-
lon Retail, and 30 cents per gallon wholesale.
The Imperial Union Guaranteed.
mh25

Wanted
A GOOD BLACKSMITH,
apply to
ROBERTSON & FARR,
Johnson Street.

Notice
LOST OR ABOUT THE 1st JANU-
ary, 1872, a deed of Lot No. 121, New Westmin-
ster District. The deed will be suitably rewarded if
leaving it at the Standard Office. A. CAMERON.

A Rare Opportunity
FOR A PERSON POSSESSING A SMALL
Capital. A stock raiser wishes to ranch sheep on
shores.
Apply to
A. B. Standard Office.

Fete and Bazaar Statement.

Cash taken at the Door. \$ 200 00
Cash Sale of Work, Flowers, Refreshments, &c. 1,824 80
Cash Donations. 51 75
Total. \$ 2,076 55
By Cash Paid for Work, Goods, and other Ex- 51 75
penses. 51 75
Net Proceeds. \$ 2,024 80
The Committee takes this opportunity of thanking those
ladies and gentlemen who so liberally came forward to
assist by donations of Work, Flowers, Refreshments,
and also the ladies and gentlemen who so generously and
also due to the ladies and gentlemen who so generously
helped to make the Fete and Bazaar a complete
success.
"We shall give to the Poor Lendeth to the Lord."

Beef Cattle For Sale
80 HEAD OF FINE FAT THREES AND
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New Advertisements.

W. J. WILSON.

For the Seaside

HOOSIERY

English & American

FLATS

CLOTHING

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RIGHT THROUGH TO THE
MINES!

CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN.
Commission & Forwarding

Merchants.

Port Eslington, Mouth of Skeena River, and
Hasterton, Forks.

GOODS AND FREIGHTS FOR
Steamers from Victoria, at the lowest rates, and
vice versa, having their own Boats and Crews, who
take up shippers that so other parties can
In connection with their Forwarding Business they
have stores at Eslington and Hastings, in which the
most extensive assortment of

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, CLOTHING, &
MINING EQUIPMENTS

of every kind will be held at the smallest reasonable
rates. Shippers will also find every accommodation in
their

RESTAURANT

In which meals equal to those that can be obtained in any
Hotel in Victoria, can be had.

Persons visiting the country will do well
to visit us, as the fullest information will be
connected with the mine can be obtained.
In connection with the business C. & H. have also a
Pack Train on the Babine Portage.
Remember the name—
CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN,
Port Eslington and Hastings.

A Bar stocked with the best Brands of Liquors is at-
tached to both their stores.

BARLOW'S

FAST FREIGHT LINE

TO CARIBOO!

Three Times a Month to
Cariboo!

A. BARLOW HAS MADE AR-
rangements to Run a Line of
Stages between

YALE AND CARIBOO!

For the conveyance of

Fast Freight, Ordinary
Express Matter and
Passengers.

All Goods consigned to Barlow's Agent,
Yale, will be forwarded without delay,
and at reasonable rates.
Commissions of all kinds promptly re-
turned; Collections made and a General
Agency Business transacted.

PRIVATE
BOARDING HOUSE!

PORT STREET, bet. Douglas & Broad Streets

The above establishment is conducted by
MRS. C. MASON.

BOARD, per WEEK, \$10 00
BOARD and LODGING, per WEEK, \$12 00
SPECIAL, \$15 00
NEALS \$17 00
Every attention paid to the Comfort of Boarders.

Ex Prince Alfred.

COAL OIL—Vests Brand,

MESS PORK—In Barrels,

BUTTER—In Tins.

For Sale in lots to Suit Purchasers, by
Welch, Rithet & Co.

A. B. GRAY

HAS RECEIVED BY LAST STEAMER
a large shipment of the

Latest Styles of New Goods.

Selected by himself for the

Spring Trade.

HIS STOCK OF
DRY GOODS

IS NOW COMPLETE IN
ALL DEPARTMENTS.

Government Street, Victoria, April 29, 1872.

SHEPARD

RUBBER BOOTS.
(Patented December 1st, 1869.)

Leather (outside) Soles.
Iron Clad Heels.

The usual way of making Leather Boots, is to
make them quite through the hole, which is
sure to leak. These Rubber Boots are made by a
process entirely new in the world, and are
entirely waterproof. They are made of the best
quality of Rubber, and are so made that they
will wear three or four times longer than the
ordinary double sole Rubber Boots.

RUBBER CLOTHING COMPANY,
261 Broadway, New York.
Michigan Avenue, Chicago.
617 Market St., San Francisco.

FOR SALE BY
C. STROUSS & CO.

Cash For H